

May 15, 2008

To: Federal Communications Commission  
RE: Ibiquty(IBOC)Digital HD AM/FM Broadcasting Adaptation

I would like to express my concerns regarding the Federal Communication Commission's adoption of the digital radio broadcasting system currently being used by broadcast stations in the United States. The FCC refuses to listen to or acknowledge my complaint of radio station interference caused by this system. On the AM Broadcast band stations that transmit the digital system cause substantial interfere to adjacent stations.

At my location, approximately 60 miles from Pittsburgh, PA, radio station KDKA was previously heard 24 hours a day prior to the FCC adaptation of the digital system. KDKA is no longer listenable due to interference from adjacent stations transmitting the digital signal from hundreds of miles away.

From my research it appears that the FCC adaptation of this system was hastily made with no regard to the average radio listener and that consumer interest in a digital broadcasting system is extremely low. It also seems that the decision by the FCC to adapt a digital broadcasting system was a business decision between the FCC and private business rather than citizen/consumer driven.

Thank you for listening to my concerns.

James M. Wilhelm  
10 Matthew Dr.  
Fairmont, WV 26554  
Phone: 304-367-1715